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A small steamer was driven ashore in a gale near the mouth of the Spey and the entire crew of ten was lost.

Nelson Boggiano, a young Italian murderer, was put to death in the electric chair at the Auburn, N. Y., prison.

Many students of the Oberlin College were completely "strapped" of their finances by the failure of the Oberlin Bank.

Two more Denver election officers were fined \$1,000 each and sentenced to one year in jail by the Colorado Supreme Court.

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IMPARTIAL JURIES

The Louisville Post's View of the Caleb Powers Case

Just Dissenting Opinion Rendered by Judge Henry S. Barker

Louisville Evening Post.

The Evening Post calls the attention of every man and woman in the state interested in the pure administration of justice to the dissenting opinion of Judge Henry S. Barker in the case of Caleb Powers.

The more this opinion is examined the clearer becomes the vital nature of the principle discussed, and no one can read that opinion through without a feeling of admiration both for the legal acumen the Judge has shown in going directly to the heart of this vexed question and for the elegance and grace which he has shown in the discussion.

Few men in Kentucky are better equipped to discuss criminal law than Henry S. Barker. He has made of it a study of a lifetime, and his long experience in presiding over Jury trials has given him a wonderfully clear comprehension of the advantages and the dangers of the system of trial by Jury.

In addition to these facts, Judge Barker is gifted with a talent for composition unusual even among men who have spent a lifetime upon the Bench. In this case he writes with that clear sense of conviction which is given only to the man that has given to the subject at hand an exhaustive research that has enabled him to clear away all the obstacles to a perfect vision.

The Evening Post states in the first place that it is not at all difficult to understand the reluctance of some of the Supreme Court Justices to upset a verdict of a Lower Court on the ground that the Jury has been improperly selected. It would be manifestly impossible to

consider the personnel of every Jury that has tried the various cases that come up before the highest Court in the state for final arbitrament. Furthermore, there is every reason to believe that the trial Judge usually acts with fairness in passing upon Jury applications. The fault, if fault there is, rests with the men who summon the Jurymen, who pass over men of one political party and select only the political opponents of the accused.

The principle of reversing cases for this reason is necessarily one that must be handled with great care. The majority of the Court has held that the Powers case should not be reversed for this reason, although consenting to a reversal upon other grounds. With characteristic courage, Judge Barker gives his views in a separate opinion, in which he lays down opinions which appear to us to be of the utmost importance.

It should be remembered that the principle here raised is not altogether a new one. Many years ago Daniel O'Connell, the famous Irish orator and the bulwark of the Catholic Church in the United Kingdom, was accused of treason, tried at a time of great political and religious excitement, before a Jury made up solidly of Protestants, found guilty and sentenced to penal servitude. The case was reversed by the English House of Lords in an opinion written by the famous Lord Denham, himself a Protestant, just as Judge Barker is a Democrat, and in reversing, Lord Denham spoke of this kind of a Jury as making of the Jury system "a mockery, a delusion and a snare."

People differ as to the guilt or innocence of Caleb Powers. Many people honestly believe him to be guilty; others just as honestly think him innocent; but surely the crux of the whole situation is whether or not he has had justice in being tried before a Jury made up solidly of his political opponents.

As Judge Barker truly says, political or religious prejudice does not enter into the majority of cases, but it is undeniable that it does enter into some. No member of any of the Powers Juries would like to be the defendant in a damage case where the Jurymen would all

be selected from lifelong Republicans of Laurel or Clay counties. The men may be honest, but no one can deny that prejudice is a potent factor, and that it often blinds the clearest vision and affects the most honest minds.

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